

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION IV

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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Nelson Wong, P.E. Carrier Corporation P.O. Box 4808 Carrier Parkway, TR-18 Syracuse, New York 13201

RE: Reimbursement of Fiscal Year 1992 Oversight and Response Costs for Carrier Air Conditioning Superfund Site, Collierville, Tennessee

Dear Mr. Wong:

By this letter, EPA is hereby requesting payment of response and oversight costs incurred at the Carrier Air Conditioning Site during fiscal year (FY) 1992. This accounting reflects EPA's 1992 response and oversight costs which total \$298,692.01 in accordance with the enclosed cost documentation. This amount includes oversight costs pursuant to the AOC entered into between the parties and other response costs incurred in FY '92 (from October 1, 1991, to September 30, 1992).

The amount demanded herein also reflects charges of EPA indirect costs. As announced at 57 Fed. Reg. 34742 (August 6, 1992), EPA has proposed a change in the policy regarding calculation of indirect costs. Under the proposed rule, the indirect cost rates may increase substantially from the rates currently in use. This letter reflects an amount calculated with the current lower rate.

Interest on the amount demanded herein shall accrue thirty (30) days after the date of this demand letter. Interest rates are variable. The rate applicable on any unpaid amounts for any fiscal year is the same as is specified for interest on investments of the hazardous Substance Superfund which is determined by the Department of Treasury. The current annual rate of interest on unpaid costs is 3.49%.

Please remit total payment of response and oversight charges from FY 1992 in the amount of \$298,692.01 within twenty (20) days of your receipt of this letter. Payment should be in the form of a certified or cashier's check, payable to "EPA Hazardous Substances Superfund". Your check should be sent to:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Superfund Accounting P.O. Box 100142 Atlanta, Georgia 30384 Attn: Collection Officer in Superfund

You should also send a copy of your check to Ms. Carolyn McCall at:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Waste Programs Branch Waste Management Division 345 Courtland Street, N.E. Atlanta, Georgia 30365

If you have any questions, please contact Ray Strickland at the address above or by telephone at (404) 347-5059.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph R. Franzmathes
Director
Waste Management Division

Enclosure